

# German Aeroplanes Bombard Finish Town

## KLAMATH FALLS IS READY FOR FREE DELIVERY

LAST OBSTACLE SAID TO BE REMOVED

Postmaster Dezell Believes That Improved Mail Service Removes Last Obstacle in the Way of Free Delivery. Postoffice Inspector Has Given O. K. to House Numbering

With mails arriving in Klamath Falls and leaving twice each day, it is now believed that no valid argument stands in the way of free mail delivery for this city. Some time ago a postoffice inspector was here and sent in his approval of the business house and residence numbering. For several years the receipts at the local postoffice have been more than enough to warrant establishment of a free delivery system.

The objection on which the postoffice department has stood out longest against granting free delivery to Klamath Falls is that free delivery would delay the time of patrons getting their mail. The department has argued that mail coming in on the evening train could be gotten from the office by 9:30 or 10 o'clock the same night, whereas by free delivery it could not reach the patrons before the next forenoon.

Now that about three-fourths of the mail, including practically all mail from the East and all from the South, reaches here on the train arriving at 7:33 in the afternoon, it is believed the strongest argument of the postoffice department has been answered. Mail arriving on this train easily could be delivered the same afternoon.

Postmaster W. A. Dezell is again taking up the matter of free delivery with the postoffice department. It is known that the case of Klamath Falls is being considered by the department.

A mail car will be attached to the train leaving here at 8 o'clock in the morning, and on the one arriving at 7:45 in the evening. There will be no mail car on the train leaving at 12:01 p. m. or on the one arriving at 3:35, but through mail will be carried on both of these trains. Mail for the noon train must be in the postoffice by 11:30 a. m.

## PLAYED "LOVE PIRACY" AND GOT MAN'S MONEY

United Press Service  
SAN JOSE, July 19.—Sentonia Stewart was arrested here today for swindling a San Francisco man out of \$3,800. When arrested she stated that she played in the game of "love piracy," inducing the man to give her money to build a bungalow. She said she had promised to marry him.

At first the girl said she was a movie actress, but now declares she belongs to a prominent San Francisco family.

## Represents Carranza



Eliseo Arrondondo, ambassador designate from General Carranza's Mexican government to the United States is very busy right now in the negotiations which Secretary Lansing has opened up with the Mexicans to settle the border trouble. This snapshot shows him on one of his rare visits to the secretary of state.

## SHIP FIVE CARS STOCK TOMORROW

KLAMATH COUNTY HORSES, CATTLE AND HOGS GO ON THE LIVE STOCK SPECIAL FOR OUTSIDE MARKETS

Two carloads of Klamath county horses, two of cattle and one of hogs will be shipped on the Thursday live-stock special train tomorrow. The stock goes to Denver, San Francisco and Portland.

J. L. Beckley will send two carloads of beef cattle to Miller & Lux of San Francisco. Mr. Beckley is buying beef for this firm, and expects to purchase several thousand head between now and winter.

L. M. Tillson and O. G. Ferris of Denver will ship two carloads of local horses to Denver. One car of these horses was purchased from Louis Gerber. Messrs. Tillson and Ferris have been buying Klamath county horses for several weeks.

A carload of hogs will be shipped on the special tomorrow by Harry Stills. They will go to Portland.

## EFFORTS BEING MADE TO SECURE SHARE OF FUNDS

NOTHING TO BE DONE UNTIL RULES PREPARED

Letters From Congressman Sinnott and Chief Forester's Assistant Show That Oregon's Interest in the \$1,000,000 National Park Fund is Being Looked After in Washington.

That the appeals from various sources in Oregon for a just proportion of the \$1,000,000 to be set aside annually for improvement of roads in national forests are being listened to in Washington is indicated in letters received this morning by Klamath Commercial Club from Congressman Sinnott and A. F. Potter, acting forester.

Following is the letter from Mr. Potter:

"I have received your wire of July 11. The forest service is now engaged in preparing rules and regulations for carrying out section 8 of the federal aid road act approved by the president on July 11. It is the intention to submit these to the secretary as soon as approved, so that they may be promulgated at an early date.

"The district forester at Portland, Oregon, has been requested to prepare a list of recommended projects in order of their importance, and to inform me regarding the amount of co-operation which probably will be available. He is well acquainted with the road situation in Klamath county, and I know will consider its needs when he is preparing his list of projects."

The letter from Congressman Sinnott shows that he is active in the interest of Oregon. His letter follows:

"I am just in receipt of your telegram of July 11th. On receipt of same I talked the matter over with Assistant Forester Potter. He states that the department is now trying to formulate rules and regulations for the proper procedure to be taken by the states or counties desiring a share of the funds. They are also trying to determine what will be an equitable distribution for the various states and sections of the states.

"These rules and regulations will not be ready for about two weeks. I am enclosing herewith a copy of the law relative to forest roads. You will find the same in section 8, on page 4. You will note that the bill puts the initiative upon the proper officers of the state or county; that it also requires an agreement between the secretary of agriculture and the state or county. I read to the assistant forester your telegram. He thought it would be well for the present for you to file an application with the district forester at Portland. Your application will be given due consideration.

"This entire matter at the present time is up in the air until the rules and regulations are formulated, but it would seem to be wise for you to take up the matter of your roads with the governor and perhaps the highway commission of the state.

"I am filing your telegram with the chief forester for his further consideration."

Section 8 of the act signed by President Wilson on July 11th, and referred to in the letters is quoted below:

"Section 8.—That there is hereby appropriated and made available until expended, out of any moneys in the national treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,000,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, and each fiscal year thereafter, up to and including the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, in all, \$10,000,000, to be available until expended under the supervision of the secretary of agriculture, upon request from the proper officers of the state, territory or county, for the survey,

## Hobnailed Shoes for the Boys on the Border



The war department has ordered 250,000 shoes of a new type for United States regulars and militiamen in Mexican service, 20,000 of which have been delivered. All the troops on the border and in the interior of Mexico will be outfitted with these shoes just as soon as they reach the front. These shoes are used by the allies, though they were first used by the Turkish armies. They are hobnailed, as the photograph shows, whereas all of the shoes now in use by the army are smooth. A distinguishing feature of the new shoe, however, is that the leather is worn inside out, and is exceptionally soft. The shoe has no cap. The old shoes lasted barely three weeks in Mexico, their particular enemy being malpais rock, which rapidly cuts them into shreds. The old shoe weighs two pounds three ounces, while the new model weighs three pounds and seven ounces.

## CALIFORNIA MEN WILL PLAY WEED ARE DISCHARGED TWO BALL GAMES

ORDER SAYS EACH MUST MAKE AFFIDAVIT THAT HE HAS DEPENDENT FAMILY IN ORDER TO GET RELEASE

United Press Service  
NOGALES, July 19.—Colonel Sage today ordered the discharge of all California militiamen with dependent families. Each militiaman must file an affidavit stating that he has a dependant family.

These men may be given ninety days furlough, the government retaining their services for use only in the event of war.

Inspectors this morning condemned two carloads of fresh meat sent here to feed militiamen.

United Press Service  
COLUMBUS, July 19.—Mexicans reaching here report that General Villa has revived sufficiently to discard his crutches, and is leading a column against Minica. This report is unconfirmed.

## Breaks Racing Record

United Press Service  
CLEVELAND, July 19.—Helen Murray, daughter of the millionaire horseman, today broke the women's world record for driving. She sent the 2-year-old colt Axworthy over the mile in 2:18.

## Johnson Petition Filed

United Press Service  
OAKLAND, July 19.—Petitions nominating Governor Hiram Johnson, candidate for vice president on the progressive ticket in 1912, for United States senator, were filed here today. Two thirds of the signers are progressives.

## GERMANS RECAPTURE STRATEGICAL POINTS

### LONGSHOREMEN RETURN TO WORK

SPLIT IN RANKS OF STRIKING STEVEDORES IS PREDICTED. NORTHERN UNIONS ARE STILL OBSTINATE

United Press Service  
SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—Despite the refusal of local unions in other coast towns to sanction the compromise offered by the employers of longshoremen, it is believed that local longshoremen will resume work tomorrow. Local leaders are dissatisfied with reports from northern points. It is predicted that resumption of work by members of the local union would split the coast union, or cause others to return to work to avoid a split.

## PROPERTY LOSSES REACH MILLIONS

FIFTEEN ADDED TO LIST OF DEAD FROM FLOODS AND HURRICANES IN NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA

United Press Service  
ASHVILLE, N. C., July 19.—Restoration of communication with the districts affected by the recent floods and hurricanes shows that the losses are greater than at first reported. It is known that thirty-five persons have been killed or drowned. Property losses will reach \$15,000,000, and consists chiefly of crops, factories and railroads.

## SOUTH IS OPPOSED TO CHILD LABOR MEASURE

United Press Service  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 19.—Senators from the Southern states threaten a filibuster if the child labor bill is passed at this session of congress. They also threaten to jockey the immigration bill to force President Wilson to either veto it or revise his position. Administration supporters are determined to pass the bill.

## Sulzer and Hanley Fight Like Old Time Politics

United Press Service  
ST. PAUL, Minn., July 19.—Old time politics are developing in the fight between J. Frank Hanley of Indiana and William Sulzer of New York for the prohibition presidential nomination. The women's federation of the party resolutionized that liquor caused the European war. A fight on preparedness is certain to occur. "The call of the hour is the challenge of a supreme opportunity, to an unparalleled sacrifice. These are the words of triumph—Peace, prosperity

### RUSIAN TRANSPORTS SUBMERGED IN BLACK SEA

Czar's Troops Cross Carpathian Mountains and Descend Onto Hungarian Plains—The Swift Russian Advance Threatens All Kaiser's Forces on the Eastern Front, Says London.

United Press Service  
LONDON, July 19.—General Haig reports that in a fierce counter attack this morning the Germans obtained a footing on the outskirts of Longueval and recaptured a part of Delville. The British left is menacing Pozieres.

United Press Service  
LONDON, July 19.—A correspondent reports that the Russians have crossed the Carpathians and have entered Hungary. A swift Muscovite advance threatens all the Teutons' eastern forces.

United Press Service  
PETROGRAD, July 19.—The Russians are again hammering at the Carpathian passes and entering Hungary. There is severe fighting on a 60-mile front southeast of Jablotitz pass. The Austrians, unable to bring up their artillery, are retreating orderly.

United Press Service  
BERLIN, July 19.—A report from Constantinople states that three Russian transports have been submerged in the Black Sea. The fourth was driven ashore and captured.

United Press Service  
PARIS, July 19.—It is announced that by courageous grenade fighting the French have progressed northeast of Verdun and by artillery have gained successes along the east Meuse, particularly around Fleury.

United Press Service  
BERLIN, July 19.—It is officially announced that offensive of Kuropatkins Riga front collapsed this afternoon before General von Hindenburg's forces. The Germans have recaptured Longueval and Delville. The Longueval road commands several important highways.

Attacks by the British on Pozieres have been repulsed. French attacks on North Barleux also have been checked.

BERLIN, July 19.—German naval aeroplanes tonight bombarded enemy cruisers, submarines and military establishments at Revel, in Russian Finland. A number of hits were made. The aerofleet returned unharmed.

## Blacklisting Dims Hope of Modifying Blockade

United Press Service  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 19.—Although President Wilson is still working to gain a modification of the British blockade of Germany, hope of a speedy accomplishment of his purpose is dimmed greatly by the blacklisting yesterday by the British gov-

ernment of several American firms. None of the firms listed may trade with England. The refusal to allow Red Cross shipments to reach Germany also works against the president's purpose. The same is true of shipments to non-combatants in Poland.

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